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I would like to express my disappointment in the government's settlement of the Microsoft Anti trust case. This settlement amounts to a slap on the wrist for Microsoft, and does nothing which will change the company's monopoly status, and little or nothing to alter it's behavior. The government should be ashamed of this settlement considering the time and tax payer money spent on the case, which gives the consumer nothing for the future in the way of increased competition and innovation. This company will continue to rip off other company's ideas and incorporate them as their own, or buy those companies out, squashing potential competition.

Dismantling the company into OS/Apps is the only way to foster true competition in the computer market space. Our system has utterly failed in this case.

Respectfully,

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